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	JUSE-00	LAB-04	L-03	ADS-00	NSAE-00	NSCE-00	OIC-02
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 FM AMCONSUL GUANGZHOU
 TO AMEMBASSY BEIJING
 INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 8006
 AMCONSUL SHANGHAI
 AMCONSUL HONG KONG
 AMCONSUL SHENYANG
 US CUSTOMS SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE *11/19/97*
 RELEASE DECLASSIFY
 EXCISE DECLASSIFY EO Citations _____
 DENY IN PART

POIA Exemptions _____ TS authority to _____
 PA Exemptions CLASSIFY as S or C Sec. _____
 DOWNGRADE TS to S or C

DEPT FOR EAP DAS KRISTOFF AND EAP/CM

US CUSTOMS FOR FOREIGN OPERATIONS AND COMMERCIAL FRAUD

HONG KONG FOR SCR TOM GRAY

BEIJING PLEASE PASS CHENGDU

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 TAGS: ELAB, ETRD, PHUM, CH
 SUBJECT: PRISON LABOR: VISIT TO AMCONSULATE GUANGZHOU

REF: BEIJING 25405

1. POST WELCOMES AUGUST 29 - SEPTEMBER 1 VISIT BY CUSTOMS REPRESENTATIVE JAMES GORMAN. CONTROL OFFICER FOR THE VISIT WILL BE POLITICAL OFFICER DAN PICUTTA -- OFFICE TEL: (001 - 8620) 888-8911, EXT. 325; HOME TEL: (001 - 8620) 888-6968, EXT. 62062. THE CONSULATE FAX NUMBER IS (001 - 8620) 886-2341. WE HAVE RESERVED A TDY APARTMENT IN THE CONSULATE TOWER. GORMAN SHOULD CALL PICUTTA UPON HIS ARRIVAL AT THE CONSULATE TO OBTAIN THE KEY.

2. PLEASE ADVISE IF YOU WISH US TO MAKE FURTHER

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SCHEDULING OR TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS.

3. THREAT ASSESSMENT: AT THIS TIME THERE IS NO SPECIFIC THREAT DIRECTED AGAINST AMERICAN CITIZENS IN GUANGDONG. CRIME DIRECTED AGAINST FOREIGNERS IS RARE. VISITORS SHOULD GUARD PERSONAL POSSESSIONS CAREFULLY, ESPECIALLY UPON ARRIVAL OR DEPARTURE AT AIRPORTS OR TRAIN STATIONS. SURVEILLANCE OF FOREIGNERS BY THE PRC SECURITY FORCES IS HIGH, WITH MONITORING OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS, AUDIO AND VIDEO TAPING, AND TAILING.

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